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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 15, 2000 (Paper No. 7), and pursuant to Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, Applicants offer the following amendments, response and Exhibits A and B. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Applicants also enclose herewith copies of cited references indicated in the last Office Action as missing by the Examiner.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the title to read --Dendritic Cell Preparations--.

At page 1, line 8, please replace the phrase "now pending" with --abandoned--.

At page 1, line 9, please replace the phrase "now pending" with --abandoned--.

At page 3, line 6, please replace "too" with --to--.

At page 13, line 5, please insert a --®-- after the first "Haemonetics".